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## Amendment of the Specification

Please replace the paragraph under the heading "REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS AND PATENTS" with the following:

This application is a continuation in part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/409,298, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,251,287 on June 26, 2001, which is a continuation in part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/274,534, filed July 12, 1994 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/138,708, filed October 18, 1993 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/126,367, filed September 24, 1993 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/311,098, issued as U.S. Patent no. 5,763,189 on June 9, 1998, and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/409,825, filed March 23, 1995 (abandoned); and a continuation in part of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/066,255 (pending), which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application 08/620,597, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,824,799 on October 20, 1998, which is a continuation in part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/274,534, filed July 12, 1994 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/138,708, filed October 18, 1993 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/126,367, filed September 24, 1993 (abandoned), and of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/311,098, issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,763,189 on June 9, 1998, and U.S. Patent Application No. 08/409,825, filed March 23, 1995 (abandoned); from each of which priority is claimed, and each of which are hereby fully incorporated by reference herein.